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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Keiichiro WAKAMIYA, et al.

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office
Action dated January 3, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 7 as follows:

1. (Amended) A semiconductor device comprising:

a semiconductor chip,

a protective insulating layer covering the surface of the semiconductor chip;

a plurality of connecting conductors connected to the surface of the

semiconductor chip and penetrating the protective insulating layer [to] beyond the outside
surface of the protective insulating layer;

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